





A. E. WHEATLEY RESIGNS... As Director of Citizens State Bank following 25 years in the position. Wheatley was presented a gold watch and a plaque of appreciation by Bank President Macky McCarty. A. E. Wheatley is pictured seated. Others include Macky McCarty, Gene Brown, Donald Clayton, Les Watson, E. C. Hudson, Dwane Jones and J. A. Littleton.

### A. E. Wheatley Resigns As Director Of Bank

A. E. Wheatley, Charter Director of Citizens State Bank since 1952 resigned his position with the local bank, effective

May 4, 1976. Wheatley has served continuously since '52 with the exception of a two year span, when he took a leave of absence from the Board of Trustees for the Springlake-Earth Schools.

Wheatley was presented a gold watch and a bronze plaque engraved with the following message: Presented to A. E. Wheatley in appreciation of 25 years of Director service to Citizens State Bank, Earth, Texas, 1976.

Mackey McCarty, bank president, made the presentation, Monday, July 12. Bank employees and all directors of the bank were present for the presentation.

Wheatley, offered his services anytime he could be of help to Citizens State Bank, although he was no longer a director.

### 6 County 4-H Playday Here Saturday

The Springlake-Earth 4-H Horse Club is sponsoring a 6 County 4-H Playday at Earth Rodeo Arena on Saturday, July 17.

The event will begin at 9:00 a.m. Saturday, at that time the Halter Books will close. The Performance Books will close at 12:00 noon.

The Playday is open to all 4-H members with their horses. Entry fee is \$4 per horse per class. \$1 extra will be charged for late fee.

There is no limit on the number of events a contestant may enter. 4-H'ers competing for All-Round best performer must enter a minimum of four classes, one must be a Halter Class.

Belt buckles will be awarded in each age group.

Trophies will be presented to first through sixth place winners

in each age group and event. Points will be accumulated for participants from the six member counties.

There will be a choice of 35 classes. Some of the classes will be for participants under 5 years of age.

So folks, it should be an interesting event Saturday watching the 4-H'ers perform.

#### Hall Gives Ticket For Drag Racing

Deputy Sheriff Elmer Hall gave a citation for drag racing here this week. While giving a ticket to one of the racers, the other one got away.

Drag racing is evident here, night after night within the city limits. This should be brought to a halt before we have a casualty, resulting from drag racing.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dutton left Friday for Graham Lake where they will spend several days fishing.

"It will be of little avail to the people that the laws are made by men of their own choice if the laws be so voluminous that they cannot be read, or so incoherent that they cannot be understood, if they be repealed or revised before they are promulgated, or undergo such incessant changes that no man, who knows what the law is today, can guess what it will be like tomorrow."

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### Reed New Manager For Q-P Parts

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Reed formerly of Wheeler, Texas have taken over management of Q-P Parts, Inc. in Earth. The effective date was July 1. Reed is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Reed, Lubbock, co-owner of Q-P Parts, Inc. He grew up so to speak, in the automotive business working at

Q-P Parts, Inc. in Lubbock. Reed attended Hardin College at Searcy, Arkansas, also Texas Tech and Lubbock Christian College. Prior to moving to Earth on June 16, he served as assistant manager for the Beef Cattle Company of Wheeler, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Reed have a son

Chaney, who is 21 months old. They are members of the Church of Christ. The young couple invite folks to drop in and get acquainted. They are anxious to meet folks in the Earth-Springlake area. Mr. and Mrs. James Wages who managed the firm for several years, resigned their position July 1, in favor of employment with Springlake Farms.

### Drug Policy For S-E School Updated

The use of narcotic or other drugs by the students of Springlake-Earth Schools is strictly forbidden. Any student known to have a dangerous drug or narcotic drug in his possession or known to be under the influence thereof, while in school or participating in school sponsored activities, after appropriate hearing by respective principal, will be expelled from school for a period of three (3) days with loss of exemption privileges. At the end of such suspension period a conference involving student violator, students parents, principal, counselor and superintendent will be required as a condition for readmittance. Further, the student will not be permitted to participate in any school activities except the regular classroom program held during the regular seven period school day for the remainder of the school year.

A student found guilty of a second offense in any one school year will be expelled for the balance of the tri-semester in which the offense occurred with loss of grades.

Any student found guilty of selling or attempting to sell a narcotic or other dangerous drugs on school premises or while participating in school functions will be expelled for the balance of the tri-semester with the loss of grades.



"It's true that man does not live by bread alone, but some do okay on crust."

Both Workers' and Unemployment Compensation programs should continue to be regulated and administered by the states rather than the federal government.

### J. R. Borum Funeral Today In Lubbock

Funeral services for J. R. Borum, 67, Lubbock, is set for 4:00 p. m. Thursday in the Rix Funeral Home in Lubbock. Burial will be in Resthaven in Lubbock.

Borum died at 4:00 p. m. Monday in a hospital at Flemington, New Jersey where he had been hospitalized since Friday after suffering a heart attack.

Borum was enroute to a convention in Boston when he suffered the first of a series of three heart attacks. He was hospitalized immediately. His wife flew to Flemington to be with her husband who seemed to be improving. Additional heart attacks later worsened his condition.

Ted Borum, of Earth, flew to New Jersey on Sunday to be with his brother.

### Ernest Baker To Conduct Services In Olton Sunday

Ernest Baker of Springlake will conduct morning worship services July 18 at 11 a. m. in First Baptist Church of Olton. Mr. Baker has consented to speak in the absence of John Lewis, pastor.

An offering will be taken after the close of worship services to be used toward the purchase of Gideon Bibles. These Bibles purchased by the Gideons will be placed all over the world. In hotel rooms, motel rooms, lobbies and in every place imaginable, where people can see the Word of God.

Mrs. Jearl James was admitted to the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Sunday afternoon. She underwent surgery Monday morning.



HOW DEEP IS THE WATER MAMA... Lion Bob Belew takes a plunge on the dunking board at the Earth Rodeo.

### Shellye Pickrell Is Earth Rodeo Queen

Miss Pickrell is talented in horsemanship as well as charming and poised. She will represent the Earth Roping Club in all events the local club participates in.

Miss Pickrell was presented a crown, a belt buckle and an 8 x 10 photo of herself.

Other Queen candidates were Petra Lewis and Loretta James of Earth, Wendy Branscum of Pleasant Valley, Susan Clayton of Springlake, Michelle Secman of Littlefield and Tanya Ray of Sudan.

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# Cain - Hamilton Wedding Saturday

In an impressive double ring ceremony at 8 o'clock in the evening on Saturday, July 10, Miss Mary Elizabeth Cain became the bride of Gary Dennis Hamilton. The wedding was performed in the First United Methodist Church with Rev. Bill Watson, pastor, officiating. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Buford Lee Cain of

Talco, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dell Hamilton of Pre-mont, Texas. Vows were exchanged before an altar decorated with two candelabras holding long pink and white tapers enhanced with greenery. The choir loft serving as a background featured a large candelabra holding long white tapers graced with greenery. Large baskets of carnations

interspersed with gladiolus and baby's breath further enhanced the setting. A gold prayer bench set before the altar. Miss Sherry Winders and Terry Blanton placed satin kneeling cushions, from Mexico before the prayer bench. Organist Mrs. Bob Belew played appropriate wedding selections before the wedding. She also accompanied Mrs. Bill Verden, soloist, who sang "The Twelfth of Never."

The bride given in marriage by William Paul Verden entered the sanctuary through an arch of pink and white carnations embellished with greenery. She was adorned in a lovely white crepe wedding gown overlaid with silk organza and lace. The fitted bodice featured a high empress collar of lace enhanced with seed pearls. The full matching lace sleeves were sheered to a longated fitted cuff fastened with tiny pearl buttons. The full skirt of crepe was overlaid with organza and embellished with appliques of lace flowers centered with seed pearls. A large white velvet sash was tied in a bow at the back waistline. The lovely silk tulle veil was bordered with lace flowers centered with seed pearls. Appliques of matching lace flowers centered with seed pearls dotted the veil that was held in place by a hand covered of lace flowers centered with pearls. The gown was designed and made by her mother.

The bridal bouquet was designed of pink and white rose buds interspersed with baby's breath and tied with white satin streamers. She carried the bouquet atop a bible covered with lace, given her by the groom as a wedding present. In the bible was a lace handkerchief made by the groom's great-grandmother. The bride carried out the traditional old, new, borrowed and blue. For good luck she carried two nickles minted in 1953 the date of the couples birth. The nickles were given her by the grooms dad. As the couple took the vows, they knelt to take communion. Miss Debbie Verden and Rodney Hamilton placed a crystal wedding rosary, known as a lasso,



MRS. GARY DENNIS HAMILTON (nee Mary Elizabeth Cain)

over their heads, an old custom of the couple in Christ, from Spain signifying the unity Miss Jane Cain, Talco, sister

of the bride served as maid of honor. She wore a lovely gown of pink broadcloth overlaid with sheer dotted Swiss accented at the neckline with pink lace. The waistline was highlighted with pink velvet ribbon.

Bridesmaids were Miss Deborah Cain, Talco, sister of the bride, Betty Strebeck, Clovis, New Mexico, Lindsey Field, Springlake, Sherry Winders and Debra Verden of Earth. They were attired in matching gowns of pink crepe with sleeves of sheer pink organza with lace cuffs. The neckline was accented with matching pink lace. Pink velvet ribbon decorated the waistline. Each attendant wore a pink garden hat and carried a long stem pink rose.

Macedonio Montes, San Antonio, served as best man. Groomsmen and ushers were Rodney Hamilton, Hattiesburg, Mississippi, brother of the groom, Mickey Price, Muleshoe, Terry Blanton, Sunnyside, Rodney Geissler, Brent Been and Kirk O'Hair of Earth. The grooms attendants were attired in burgundy Prince Edward tuxedo's accented with velvet pink evening shirts and burgundy ties completed their suits.

Candlelighters were Miss Paula Verden and Kirk O'Hair of Earth.

Ring bearer was Kyle Jones, Earth. He was wearing a pale maroon suit with a white shirt

and matching bow tie. He carried the rings on a white satin ring pillow.

Lacy Layman served as flower girl for the couple. She was beautiful in a lovely gown of polyester dotted Swiss overlaid with a sheer dotted Swiss pinafore accented with lace and pink satin ribbon.

Guests were greeted and registered by Misses Elaine Bills, Pam Ott and Irene Belew.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Cain chose a floor length gown of mint green with a matching jacket accented with buttons of pearl clusters. Her accessories were white patent. The groom's mother selected a floor length gown of sunset pink made of acetate overlaid with matching organza. The sheer organza sleeves were accented with silver buttons. She chose silver accessories.

During the reception that followed the ceremony, Mrs. Kathy Parish and Miss Kelly Haydon sang several songs, with Mrs. Parish accompanying them on the guitar. The newly married couple danced a wedding waltz entitled "I'll Never Love Anyone More."

The brides table was covered with a pink linen cloth overlaid with a white lace cloth, belonging to the brides grandmother. A beautiful eight layer cake decorated with pink roses and angels centered the table.

Cake and pink punch which flowed from a champagne fountain was served.

The grooms table was covered with gold linen overlaid with a white cloth etched with cut work embroidered white thread. Chocolate cake designed in the form of a horseshoe was served with coffee, from silver appointments.

Members of the houseparty were Mrs. Edwin O'Hair, Mrs. Gaylon Stephens, Mrs. Dwane Fryer, Mrs. Paul Wood and Mrs. Joe Nance. Also Misses Pam Ott and Irene Belew.

For a brief wedding trip the bride and groom chose matching western outfits.

The bride is a graduate from East Texas State University at Commerce. She currently teaches Kindergarten at Springlake-Earth School.

The groom graduated from Texas A&M University in 1974. He currently teaches Spanish and Reading at S-E School.

Out of town guests attending the wedding were from Hattiesburg, Mississippi; Clovis, New Mexico; Talco, Kilgore, Amarillo, Odessa, Muleshoe, Springlake, Pre-mont, Houston and Arlington, Texas.

REHEARSAL DINNER Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hamilton entertained with a rehearsal supper for the wedding party of their son's wedding at K-Bob's in Dimmitt Friday night.

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Fried chicken, various kinds of salads and home made ice cream was served to those in attendance.

The serving table was covered in white and decorated with Uncle Sam hats with miniature flags in the crown.

Paul Wood gave the invocation.

Following the meal, Mrs. Marvin Sanders led the group in a game session.

A sing song was directed with Marvin Sanders as song leader, accompanied by Mrs. Howard Cummings at the piano.

The evening was concluded

with a prayer circle with Mrs. Howard Cummings dismissing in prayer.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Adrian, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Vaughn, Mrs. Everett Patterson, Mrs. Bennie Prather, Mrs. Lillian Hamilton, Leon Foster and special guests Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bearden and the hostesses Mrs. Bud Jones and Mrs. Leon Foster.

## Party Line

Mr. and Mrs. David Foster of Clairmont spent the week-end visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Leon Foster.



MRS. JAMES DAVID ALAIR  
(nee Mendy Kay Sternberg)

## Sternberg-Alair Vows Exchanged

In a quiet wedding ceremony in the parsonage of the First Baptist Church in Springlake on Friday, June 25, Miss Mendy Kay Sternberg of Canyon became the bride of James David Alair of Springlake. Rev. Glen Smith, pastor of the church, read the vows.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Sternberg of 8 Edgewood Lane, Canyon and Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Alair of Springlake.

Witnesses for the couple were

Karen Smith, Eddie and John Alair and Mrs. Glen Smith.

The bride's dress was a beautiful floor length gown of candelight gauze customed with a front panel of candelight American lace edged with braid. The panel extended from the shoulders to the hemline. The simulated keyhole neckline was bordered with matching braid and the long lace sleeves were sheered to a long fitted cuff bordered with braid. The free flowing skirt was enhanced with a deep full ruffle that formed a beautiful chapel sweep.

A reception honoring the newlyweds was held in the patio and garden area which was framed with green drapes to form the background for the serving tables. The brides table was centered with a footed silver-epergne with yellow and

GLORIETA, N.M. -- Kathleen Anderson, of Earth, is serving as a hall girl in Thunderbird lodge this summer at Glorieta Baptist Conference Center, Glorieta, N.M.

Miss Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill F. Anderson, is attending Wayland Baptist College, Plainview.

Glorieta Baptist Conference Center, located 20 miles east of Santa Fe, N.M., is owned and operated by the Southern Baptist Sunday School Board, Nashville. It is a year-round religious retreat dedicated to the Christian development and growth of those who chose to invest time in training.

Members of the Texas TOPS Club 217 met July 8 at 5 o'clock in the evening at the former Earth Oil and Gas location.

Mrs. Pauline Hucks, leader, presided over the meeting and led the group in the TOPS Pledge.

Roll call was answered with eight members present.

Mrs. W. B. Hucks and Mrs. Gerald Inglis tied as Queen for the Week.

The group closed with the Serenity Prayer.

Those present were Mrs. M.

H. Been, Mrs. W. B. Hucks, Mrs. Gerald Inglis, Mrs. Irvin Ott, Mrs. James Packard, Mrs. Carl Perkins, Mrs. Bob Robinson and Mrs. Ralph Rudd.

FEMININE FASHIONS for fall '76 will feature a "field and stream" approach to separates, including lumber-jackets, drawstring blouses layered over trousers, knickers or boot-legged pants, and jumpsuits in traditional red, black and blue hunting and fishing plaids.

## Notice

A wedding shower honoring Shelley Gaston, bride-elect of Johnny Kelley will be in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Kellar on Saturday, July 17 from 4 to 5:30 p.m.

Selections have been made at the Bee Hive Mall, Whites Auto Store and Howell's 216 Floral.

## Notice

A bridal shower honoring Kathleen Jennings of Muleshoe, bride-elect of Evan Hamilton is set for Friday, July 23 in the parlor of the First United Methodist Church. Hours are from 10:00 to 11:30 a.m.

Anyone wishing to be hostess may contact Mrs. Norman Sulser or Mrs. Gladys Parish.

Selections have been made at Howell's 216 Floral, Bee Hive Mall and Earth Dry Goods.

white daisies and baby's breath. The table was centered with a four-tiered wedding cake atop a mirror. The cake was iced in pale yellow frosting with deeper yellow roses and topped with a pair of white doves.

Pineapple and orange punch was served from a crystal punch bowl, yellow and green mints in silver bowls completed the table arrangements where Mrs. Vance Robinson served punch and Mrs. Al Sternberg served the cake.

The grooms table featured a large chocolate cake and a silver service where coffee was served by Mrs. Troy Don Collier, cousin of the bride and cake was served by Mary Kate Keeling. Smoked turkey and marinated shrimp were served in silver trays. The table was centered with a silver pitcher holding yellow gladiolus and daisies. Guests were seated in the yard area at tables covered with assorted summer cloths.

The bride is a graduate of Canyon High School with the class of 1973 and attended West Texas State University. Alair is co-owner of Alair Custom Enterprises.

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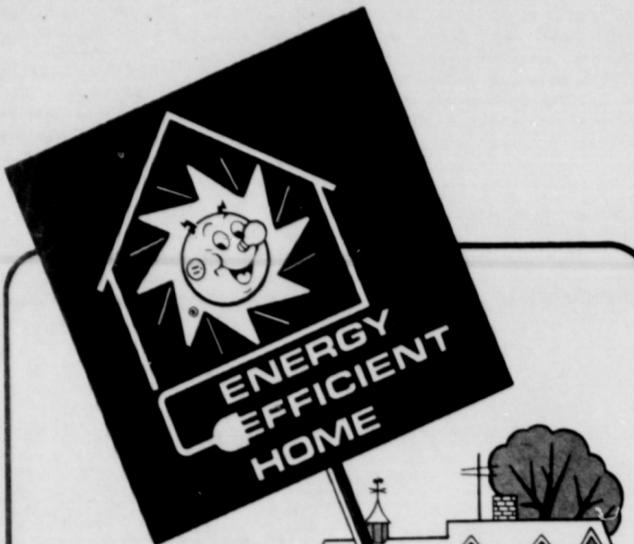
## Ice Cream Supper Honors The David Fosters

Mr. and Mrs. David Foster of Claimont were honored with an ice cream supper Saturday night in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Foster. The event was staged in order that

the couple might have time to visit with old friends.

Ice cream and cake were served to Mr. and Mrs. Craig Barton and Jimmy Rex of Christoval,

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## Area Youth Winners In Muleshoe Rodeo



### Hello World

Several local youth from the Earth-Springlake area participated in the Muleshoe Junior Rodeo held on July 2-3 at the Muleshoe Roping Arena. The event was held in conjunction with the Muleshoe 4th of July celebration.

Among those winning from this area in age group 12 years and under were:

Vonda Stephens-2nd-goat tying  
Vonda Stephens-2nd-barrels  
Vonda Stephens-2nd-flag race  
Clifford James-3rd-flag race  
Clifford James-3rd-poles  
Winners in the 13-15 age group included:

Lacretia James-3rd-goat tying  
Carla Taylor-1st-flag race  
Carla Taylor-1st-rescue race  
Carla Taylor-2nd-poles  
In the 16-18 age group winners were:

Flag race-Wendy and Dawn Branscum. They tied for 3rd place.

Others participating from this area were Brent Been, Carmen Taylor, Sharran Stephens and Shawndi Geissler.

WATCH FOR SIGNS of food spoilage in the hot summer months when illness-causing bacteria multiply rapidly. Unless properly refrigerated, salads with mayonnaise and cream-filled baked items are especially good sources of bacteria that cause food poisoning.

Mr. and Mrs. Raiford Daniel III of Levelland are the parents of a son born at 7:15 p.m. on June 15 in the University Hospital in Lubbock.

The lad weighed 6 pounds 15 ounces and measured 20 inches tall and has been named Gary Wayne.

Daniel is assistant manager of Whites Auto Store in Levelland. Parental grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Raiford Daniel II of Earth and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dear of Springlake.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Raiford III of Olton and Mrs. Ben Mason of Wilcox, Arizona.

HELLO WORLD — Mr. and Mrs. Billy Moore are busy enjoying their infant son, who is doubtless already making noises like a banker.

Trace Michael was born at 11:07 a.m. June 30 in the University Hospital. He weighed 7 1/2 pounds and measured 18 1/2 inches in height.

Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Moore of Anton and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Parchman of Wichita Falls.

## TOPS 891 Share Diet Tips

Texas TOPS Club 891 met for a regular session Wednesday afternoon in the former Earth Oil and Gas building.

Mrs. Fred Clayton, presided over the meeting in the absence of president Mrs. T. V. Murrell. Mrs. Clayton led the group in the TOPS Pledge.

The meeting was spent in sharing diet tips, one with an-

other. Mrs. Bud Jones was Queen for the Week.

The meeting adjourned with the group repeating the Serenity Prayer.

Those attending were Mrs. Clayton, Mrs. Henry Randolph, Mrs. James Herriage, Mrs. Bud Jones, Mrs. Florence Gover and Mrs. Leon Foster.

elbows.

--Seats and seatbacks that can be replaced when worn.

--Assembly directions that are easy-to-read if the consumer is required to put the high chair together.

--Convertibility of the chair for other purposes. Some high chairs can be used without the tray at the family table, others convert to an adult utility chair and on some models the legs can be removed for a child's TV chair.

According to an old Latin proverb, "Love comes after the wedding."

## Hendersons Host Farewell Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Henderson hosted a farewell dinner in their home Sunday, in honor of Miss Sue Fulmer who left Monday morning for her home in Norwalk, California. Miss Fulmer has been their guest for the past week.

Delicious barbeque, fried potatoes, salad, green beans,

corn, cake, milk and Coke were served.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crofford and son Ricky, Larry Stovall, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Stovall, Garland Junior, Dusty and Carla Marie, the honoree and hosts Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Henderson and son Justin.

## Safety Checkpoints For Buying High Chairs

High chair accidents caused around 7,000 injuries to infants and young children last year, as reported by the Consumer Product Safety Commission, Claudia Mitzel, a consumer information specialist, says.

"As the consumer selects high chairs, safety as well as comfort and convenience, needs to be considered," she added.

Miss Mitzel is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Important safety features to look for when buying a high chair include:

--Safety belt or safety harness that will hold the child securely around the waist or chest and prevent him from standing in the chair.

--Tray latches that lock into place and do not come out of position.

--Crotch strap that runs from the front of the seat to the inside edge of the tray and keeps the child from sliding forward.

--Chair locks on fold-up high chairs that prevent the chair from collapsing, and

--parts that are free of sharp edges, splinters and other similar hazards.

"Comfort is another factor to consider. Look for these design features when selecting a high chair," she said.

--Adjustable trays that have a variety of positions to accommodate a child's growth.

--Cushions, especially on wooden chairs, that provide support for a child's back.

--Backrests that are high enough to support a child's head when leaning back.

--Footrests that can adjust for different size children.

"Convenience is an important factor for parents as they use the high chairs. Consider these points."

--Trays designed with raised edges will help catch food and liquids that spill. The "wrap around" design will provide support for a child's arms and



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## Earth Phone Rates Hiked

General Telephone has increased monthly rates 10 per cent for business phones and five per cent for residential phones in Earth. The increase is effective July 28. Council members approved the rate increase at a recent meeting.

A business one-party line will be increased from \$16.20 to \$17.80, while a business two-party line will jump from \$14.90 to \$16.40. Residential one-party lines will be raised from \$7.50 to \$7.85; and in-

creases for two-party lines will be from \$6.25 to \$6.55. The phone company will also raise the pay phone charge from 10 cents to 25 cents a call, and charge for a PBX line will increase from \$15.03 to \$16.53. Telephone representatives said inflation caused the increase, the first in three years.

## Retirement Plans Called Threatened If Profits Decline

Industrial employees retiring in the future are likely to find that their pension funds have evaporated unless "unwise laws, arbitrary regulations, and capricious guidelines" are prevented from weakening the nation's industries, the president of the American Textile Manufacturers Institute said recently.

James D. Finley, who is also chairman of the board of J. P. Stevens & Co., Inc., told the annual meeting of the Georgia Textile Manufacturers Association that by 1980, over 50 per cent of the money in pension funds will be invested in American industry. Unless these companies are permitted to make reasonable profits, he said, those funds will be inadequate to provide pensions.

"There is no other way we can finance our future on a solid footing except by generating higher profits," he said. "Somehow people have acquired the idea that manufacturing companies make about 33 per cent on sales. That actual figure for all American industry in 1974 was 5.5 per cent and . . . it was less than 3 per cent for textiles."



## Earth Man Charged With Aggravated Assault Sunday

Aggravated assault charges were filed on an Earth man after being arrested Sunday night following an argument between two Latin American men. During the quarrel the man hit the other fellow in the face. He then went to his car. The other man supposing he was going to get a gun, jumped into his truck and left.

Deputy Sheriff Elmer Hall arrested the man and took him to the County Jail to stand trial. The judge fined the Earth man \$209. He was still in jail Tuesday afternoon.

## My Neighbors



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## Cattle Feeding On Decline In Lamb And Other Counties

The number of cattle being fed in area feedlots is still on the decline, it was revealed recently in the 1976 Fed Cattle Report compiled by the Agricultural Development Department of Southwestern Public Company.

The report covers the 45,000 square mile area served by SPS, including 30 counties on the North and South Plains of Texas, 4 counties in Eastern New Mexico, 3 in the Oklahoma Panhandle and one county in Southwestern Kansas.

Fed cattle production for 1975 was down 19.6 percent with 3,280,443 cattle fed compared

to 4,082,142 in 1974. The peak year for number of cattle fed was 1973 when area feedlots fed 4,962,763 head. The 1975 figure represents a decline of 33.9 percent since 1973.

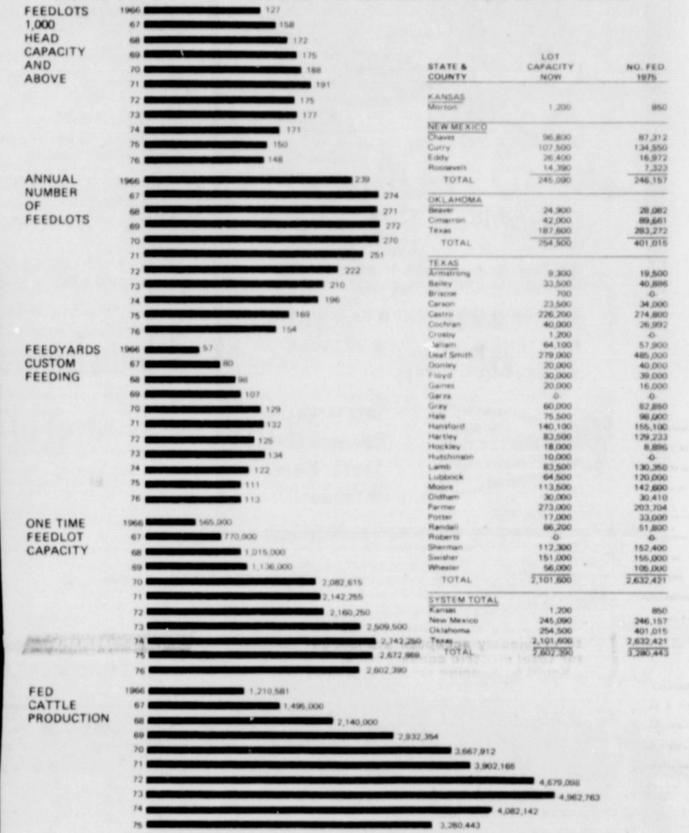
Feedlot capacity since 1974-the peak year-has also declined 5.1 percent while the number of feedlots with 1,000 head capacity and above has gone down from 191 in 1971 to 148 at the beginning of this year.

Sam Thomas, SPS Agricultural Development Manager thinks that the long term future for the cattle feeding industry is bright. "The experiences of the past two years has had a strong sim-

ilarity to the 1963-64 periods when the profit picture was so bad it appeared the cattle feeding development was dead. The more recent experience has been complicated by higher grain costs and feeder cattle, but the enthusiasm, dejection, despondency and elation that comes from the feed yards follows a very familiar pattern."

"I am in hopes that fed cattle numbers will increase at a 15 to 25 percent annual rate unless there is a compensatory reduction in fed cattle numbers in other areas," Thomas concluded.

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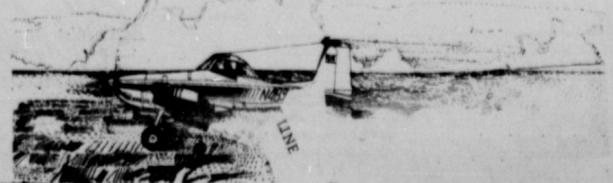
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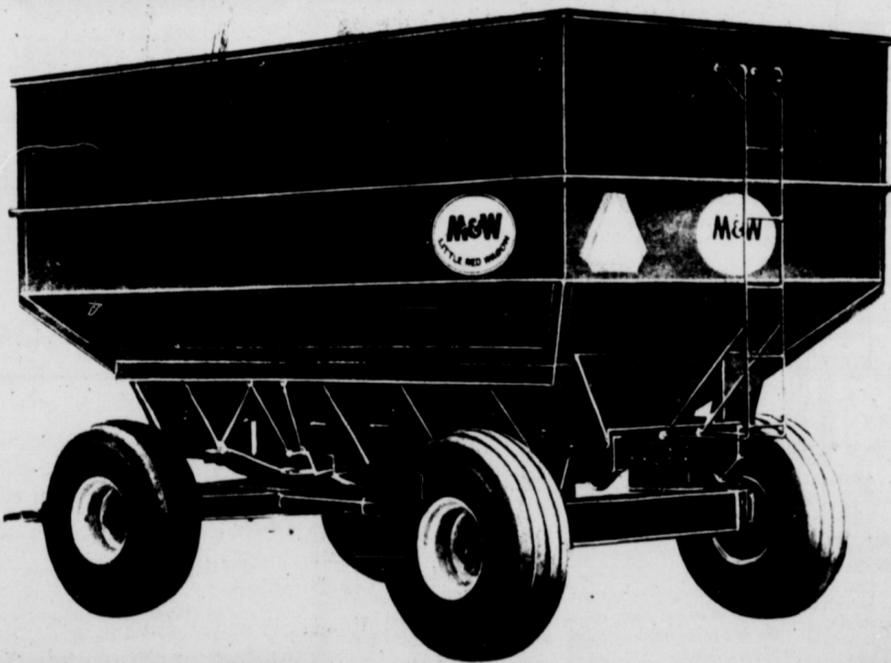
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## English Family Enjoys Trip To Earth

Mr. and Mrs. John Diggle II and sons, John and David of Leamington, Derbyshire, England arrived in Lubbock Monday, July 5 for the wedding of their eldest son John to Cheryl Eckman. The wedding took place Friday, July 9 in the Chapel of Broadway Church of Christ in Lubbock. The bride is the sister of Jim Eckman, Earth minister for the Earth Church of Christ. The Diggles are really enjoying their visit to the U.S.

They accompanied Mrs. C. E. Eckman of Lubbock to Earth Saturday to visit her son and family here. While here they attended the Earth Rodeo and were very impressed with the rodeo. Diggle said, "It was an unexpected highlight of the trip." They were introduced to rodeo fans on the loud speaker. They were again honored when their hosts, Dawn Branscum greeted them on horseback prior to the rodeo performance. The visitors from England



ENGLISH FAMILY VISITS EARTH

especially enjoyed the Pony Express race and the bull riding event.

Before returning to Lubbock Sunday afternoon, the Diggles and Mrs. Eckman attended services at the Earth Church of Christ where Jim Eckman preaches. The Diggles are members of the Ilkeston Church of Christ in England where Jim's brother Bob preaches.

In Lubbock, the English family are staying with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Eckman. Before their return to England on August 2, they plan to attend the "Texas" show in Palo Duro Canyon, see Carlsbad Caverns and see several interesting things in Houston.

### Party Line

Jeff Sanders, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Sanders of Katy has been here visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sanders and Mrs. Bernice Prather. Jeff returned to his home Monday by plane.

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## Edwin McDonald In Brazil

Edwin McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilton McDonald left Friday, July 9 for Belo Horizonte, Brazil.

Ed is participating in the youth exchange program. He is sponsored by the Earth Lions Club. While in Brazil, he will stay with the Ornie Nuner family. He corresponded with the family before leaving the U.S. and was looking forward to meeting his new family.

Ed is a 1974 graduate of Springlake-Earth School. For the past two years he has been attending West Texas University. He is a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity. He will return on August 18.



EDWIN McDONALD

## Donna Daniel Slightly Injured In Wreck

Donna Daniel, Lubbock, received superficial injuries in a two-car accident Thursday, July 8 in Lubbock. The accident

occurred around 3:30 p.m. on Avenue Q.

Miss Daniel was taken to St. Mary's Hospital where 15 sutures were required to close the gash on her head. She received other cuts, scrapes and bruises. X-rays were taken before she was allowed to return to her home. She is required to return for additional X-rays and have the stitches removed from her head before doctors will release her from their care.

The accident occurred at the scene where a new traffic light had recently been installed. As Miss Daniel approached the traffic light, a lady driving a 1974 Oldsmobile ran the red light and hit the '69 Nova driven by Miss Daniel. The impact sent the Daniel car veering out of control. The car came to a halt as it hit a fire alarm box.

Miss Daniel is a former resident of Earth and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raiford Daniel of Earth.

### Party Line

Mrs. Beulah Newton had as dinner guests Friday night, Mrs. Spencer Beavers and her mother Mrs. Vio Layne of Muleshoe and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Clay Beavers of Dallas. After dinner the group attended the Earth Amateur Rodeo.

## Football Injuries May Be Fewer In '76

New NCAA rules may make schoolboy football safer this year. However, some coaches in their enthusiasm may accidentally overlook regulations that could decrease serious or fatal neck injuries, according to one prominent team physician. A UIL official has said the rules are hard to enforce.

Training begins August 11 for Class 4A and August 3 for other classes. Class 4A contact drills begin August 16; others start August 13.

Improperly using the head can result in cervical vertebrae (upper neck) injuries such as hyperflexion (vertebrae compression with possible spinal cord damage.) hyperextension (slipped, dislocated vertebrae with possible spinal cord damage) or cervical plexus damage (injury of the nerves going from the neck to the upper part of the body.) according to the Texas Medical Association. These conditions can result in paralysis or death. Other injuries such as pinched nerves can be very painful.

Ball carriers rammed with the top of the head can suffer bruised heart muscles, broken ribs and possible collapsed lung from the rib fracture, hip tendon injuries and liver, spleen, bladder or kidney damage, depending on where he was hit.

New NCAA rules permit using the hands and arms more in blocking. Hopefully players will use their heads less in the line and they will be less prone to use their heads in open field play where most serious injuries occur, said Bailey Marshall, Ph.D., who is UIL athletics director. He said secondary backs in high-speed open field play most often get serious neck injuries, sometimes as a result of catching a knee in the head.

Ed Eter, M.D., TCU team physician and past president of the Texas Society of Athletic Team Physicians, says many serious neck injuries do occur in open field play but that most illegal use of the head occur in the line. He said that the new rules on hand and arm use may cut down on head and neck injuries if coaches will follow them. Some coaches in their urge to win have been known to change a position slightly so legally it isn't spear tackling but it is still dangerous. They don't mean to endanger players. They sometimes just get overly enthusiastic, Dr. Eter said in an interview.

Even the widespread, legal "forehead hits the numbers" tactic is dangerous. "It's just less dangerous than hitting with the crown of the head," Dr. Eter said.

NCAA rules say a player cannot deliberately use his head to butt or ram an opponent. More specifically, it is illegal to strike a runner if the player uses the crown of the head. Spear tackling, which also is illegal, is defined as deliberately using the helmet in an attempt to punish an opponent. These acts carry a 15 yard unsportsmanlike conduct penalty. A player also could be expelled from a game, depending on the official's judgment.

The American Football Coaches' Association ethics code prohibits teaching use of the helmet as a weapon or as the primary point of contact. A coach found guilty of the practice by the association could be put on probation or expelled from the association.

However, it seems these rules are difficult to enforce in a game, said Dr. Marshall. An official must determine that a player intentionally used his head illegally.

Players tend to use their heads often and unintentionally. "If a player leads with his head, he's more likely to get part of a runner. If he leads with his head to the side, he may miss entirely if the runner dodges," Dr. Marshall said in an interview.

Dr. Eter says youngsters feel fairly secure about hitting with their heads since helmets are so sturdy. "What players don't realize is that the neck is virtually unprotected and can be severely injured when they use their heads unwisely," Dr. Eter said.

Properly fitted helmets and better educated coaches, trainers and athletes could cut down on these injuries. About the only way to design a safer helmet would be to make one where the athlete has to turn his whole upper body to look to the side. Manufacturers are studying other alternatives, Dr. Eter said.

Dr. Marshall said tackling below the waist may become illegal in certain situations in the future although no changes are foreseen soon. He said this regulation might cut down on head, neck, knee and ankle injuries.

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"Those who would substitute the judgment of the bureaucrats for the judgment of the consumer inevitably forget that liberty is indivisible. The free market for goods and the free market for ideas stem from the same root—freedom. They are inseparable. . . . One cannot erode freedom in one sector of society without adversely affecting all other sectors. All of history points to the need for the joining of forces of the media and academia in preserving a free market for goods and services, as well as a free market for ideas."

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Consolidated Report of Condition of "Citizens State Bank"

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BALANCE SHEET		ASSETS		Sch.	Item	Col.	Mill.	Thou.	
1.	Cash and due from banks	C	7				797	1	
2.	U.S. Treasury securities	B	1	E			126	2	
3.	Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	B	2	E			None	3	
4.	Obligations of States and political subdivisions	B	3	E			735	4	
5.	Other bonds, notes, and debentures	B	4	E			None	5	
6.	Corporate stock						None	6	
7.	Trading account securities						None	7	
8.	Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	D	4				None	8	
9.	a. Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	A	10			6	194	9a	
	b. Less: Reserve for possible loan losses						47	b	
	c. Loans, Net						6	147	c
10.	Direct lease financing						None	10	
11.	Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises						267	11	
12.	Real estate owned other than bank premises						None	12	
13.	Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies						None	13	
14.	Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding						None	14	
15.	Other assets	G	7				8	15	
16.	TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 15)						8	080	16
17.	Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	F	1f	A			2	482	17
18.	Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	F	1f	B+C			3	513	18
19.	Deposits of United States Government	F	2	A+B+C			19	19	
20.	Deposits of States and political subdivisions	F	3	A+B+C			671	20	
21.	Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions	F	4	A+B+C			None	21	
22.	Deposits of commercial banks	F	5+6	A+B+C			850	22	
23.	Certified and officers' checks	F	7	A			41	23	
24.	TOTAL DEPOSITS (sum of items 17 thru 23)						7	576	24
	a. Total demand deposits	F	8	A		2	681	a	
	b. Total time and savings deposits	F	8	B+C		4	895	b	
25.	Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	E	4				None	25	
26.	Other liabilities for borrowed money						None	26	
27.	Mortgage indebtedness						None	27	
28.	Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding						None	28	
29.	Other liabilities	H	9				3	29	
30.	TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)						7	579	30
31.	Subordinated notes and debentures						None	31	
EQUITY CAPITAL									
32.	Preferred stock a. No. shares outstanding						None	32	
	b. Par value						None		
33.	Common stock a. No. shares authorized						30,000	33	
	b. No. shares outstanding						30,000	34	
	(Par value)						300	35	
34.	Surplus						300	36	
35.	Undivided profits						(99)	37	
36.	Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves						None	38	
37.	TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 36)						501		
38.	TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 30, 31, and 37)						8	080	

MEMORANDA

1.	Average for 15 or 30 calendar days ending with call date:			
a.	Cash and due from banks (corresponds to item 1 above)	792	1a	
b.	Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell (corresponds to item 8 above)	None	b	
c.	Total loans (corresponds to item 9a above)	6	360	c
d.	Time deposits of \$100,000 or more (corresponds to Memoranda items 3a plus 3b below)	2	574	d
e.	Total deposits (corresponds to item 24 above)	7	728	e
f.	Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase (corresponds to item 25 above)	None	f	
g.	Other liabilities for borrowed money (corresponds to item 26 above)	None	g	
2.	Standby letters of credit outstanding	None	2	
3.	Time deposits of \$100,000 or more:			
a.	Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more	2	466	3a
b.	Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more		108	b

I, Billy Moore, Vice President & Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly SWEAR AFFIRM that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: *Billy Moore*  
*Walter H. Carter*  
*Roger E. Haberman* Directors.

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## County's Oil & Gas Production In '75 Boosts Economy \$6.7 Million

As an era of cheap energy and energy independence faded for America, Lamb County's 1975 crude oil and natural gas production became more significant to Texas and the United States than at any time since production began in 1945.

With its production marketed for a record \$6.7 million and an industry payroll totalling \$662,048, petroleum continued as a factor in the economic health of the county, according to a study by the Dallas-based Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association.

Jack S. Blanton, Houston independent oil company executive and president of the Association, said increased prices, caused by the growing shortage of domestic oil and gas, has given a multi-billion dollar boost to the economy of Texas and the state's treasury.

### Cholesterol Levels Should Be Monitored

Cholesterol has become a major target in the battle to prevent heart disease. So much emphasis has been placed on the link between high blood cholesterol levels and heart attacks that there may be some confusion.

The Texas Medical Association reminds that cholesterol is not, of itself, a harmful substance. It is needed for all body cells and for the production of hormones that regulate many body processes. Your body automatically produces a certain amount of cholesterol, and under normal circumstances, as you take in cholesterol through the food you eat, the body's production of it decreases. But when the intake of cholesterol in food is excessive, this balance cannot be maintained. The surplus cholesterol tends to form deposits in the arteries and, in many people, this sets the stage for a heart attack.

The average cost of drilling a well in Texas has jumped from \$55,000 in 1962 to \$137,000 last year, a 150 percent increase and one of the reasons why 29 cent gasoline and low utility bills are relics of the past," Blanton said.

The total value of production statewide increased from more than \$11 billion in 1974 to over \$13 billion last year, a jump of nearly 19 percent.

Lamb was one of 200 Texas counties which produced oil and gas with a market value in excess of \$100,000 last year, an increase of three over the 1974 total and seven more than in 1973. The county ranked 140th in the state in the total value of petroleum produced, realizing \$6.6 million from the sale of 848,321 barrels of crude oil; \$83,496 from the sale of 170,054 MCF of natural gas. The county's royalty owners last year received \$841,792.

In addition to paying local school and county property taxes, county producers also contributed to the support of

state government with production tax payments totalling \$312,200, \$305,938 paid on oil output; \$6262 on gas production.

According to the Texas Employment Commission, 79 oil and gas industry employees worked in the county in 1975. But because oil and gas production and processing operations require such extensive support from service and supply firms, these direct employment figures are only a part of the story of the industry's impact on the local economy.

The industry's search for oil and gas continued in Lamb County, with oil and gas developers last year spending an estimated \$925,000 drilling five wildcat wells in the county. Some \$423,900 of that was lost in four dry holes, but the total drilling effort yielded one oil well.

Processing also contributed to the county's petroleum-related economy, with one petrochemical plant in operation.

of this form of fat, cholesterol is also present in all dairy products (except skim milk.) Margarine is generally considered preferable to butter in this respect, but many nutrition experts take the position that any fat which maintains a solid state at room temperature does little to solve the cholesterol problem.

Most meats are rich in cholesterol, although the leaner the meat, the less the risk. Sweetbreads, liver and shellfish are also high in cholesterol.

A low cholesterol diet will rely heavily on fish, poultry, nuts, beans, and vegetables of all kinds. For cooking and for mixing salad dressing, use a vegetable oil, such as corn or safflower.

Unless your doctor specifically tells you that you have a cholesterol problem, it is probably safe for you to eat what you enjoy, but to eat in moderation. A well-nourished, well-exercised body that never reaches obesity is a major protection against most health problems.



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### District 4-H Dress Revue Today In Lubbock

The new Lubbock Regional Airport is the setting for this year's District 4-H Dress Revue which gets underway Thursday, (today) July 15.

"Flight Into Fashion" is the theme, according to Catherine B. Crawford, district Extension agent for home economics, and Wynon Mayes, Hale County Extension agent and dress revue chairman.

Young 4-H ladies from each of the 20 counties in Texas Agricultural Extension Service District 2 will model their own creations as they compete for honors and the right to represent the district in state competition.

Dawn Branscum, Earth-Springlake 4-H Club county winner in the Senior Division and Kelli Smith, Olton 4-H winner of the older Junior Division are representatives from Lamb County in the District Dress Revue.

Already the ladies are winners of county competition. Contestants are judged on their sewing and construction skills, overall appearance, modeling

abilities, and their 4-H record books.

A dinner will be served for dress revue participants, parents and guests, following a special 6:00 p.m. tour of the new airport facilities. Revue and presentation of awards begin at 8:00. Edward Breihan, manager of Plains Co-op Oil Mill, will present the honors.

In addition to the naming of the top seniors who will compete in the State 4-H Dress Revue at San Antonio this September 17-18, awards also will include the recognition of the

### Wreck Sunday In Earth

A two car accident occurred in Earth Sunday at 7:00 p.m. at the intersection of U.S. Highway 70 and FM Road 1055. The wreck caused slight damage to the cars and no bodily injury.

The accident occurred as Neito Elpicio Perez driving a '71 Dodge north on 1055 with Onesimo Reyes driving behind in a '67 Chrysler.

Perez came to a stop at the

girl making the best all-cotton outfit and the best all-wool garment.

A junior level contest will be staged at the same time as senior competition. These younger lasses, ages 9 to 14, will not compete beyond the district level. For them, the event offers experience and leadership development.

Parents, 4-H leaders, and special guests will be on hand for the occasion. The public is invited to the 8:00 p.m. revue on the upper level of the airport complex west wing.

caution light, then proceeded. Reyes attempted to stop at the caution light, his brakes grabbed, but due to driving through water his brakes were wet and failed to hold.

Approximately \$175 damages was estimated on the autos. City Marshal, Alvin Pittman investigated the accident. Reyes was given a ticket for failing to have drivers license.

## Baptist Youth Leave Sunday For Camp

Youth of the area are making ready to leave Sunday at 3 o'clock for Falls Creek Baptist Encampment at Davis, Oklahoma. The group will return home in the afternoon on Saturday, July 24.

Those who are registered to go include Paula Verden, Bryan Scott, Kyle Kelley, Billy O'Hair, Karen Hulcy, Kirk O'Hair, Sharla Herring, Toni Inglis, Stan Runyon, Jennifer and Libby Kellar, Greg Hulcy, Allan Moore, Timmy and Glen Craft, Stephanie Tunnell, Tressa Lively and Sheri Winders. Adults making the trip will be Rev. and Mrs. David Burum, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Hulcy, Randy Williams and Mrs. Earl Kellar.

Schedule for the week will include Bible Study daily from 8:45 to 9:20 a.m. They will have a brief break and continue the study from 9:35 to 10:10 a.

Morning worship will be held each day at 11 a.m. Lunch will be served at noon, and a recreational period will begin each day at 1:30 p.m. and continue until 5:30 p.m.

The evening meal will be served following recreation and from 7:15 to 8:45 p.m. there will be a group worship service. The campers will go to their cabins and have devotional at 10 p.m.

On Saturday, July 24, the last day of camp, Bible Study will be held at 8:45 to 9:20 a.m., followed by morning worship at 10 o'clock.

An assembly will be held at 11 a.m. followed by a noon day luncheon. The group will leave for home shortly following lunch.

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**Dear Thrown From Horse**

J. W. Dear, Springlake, was dismissed from the Littlefield Hospital Monday and allowed to return home.

Dear has been hospitalized since June 28 suffering from injuries he received when he was thrown from a horse. Dear was engaged in driving up some cows when his horse became scared and threw him, breaking 6 ribs and causing painful bruises.

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## TAES Field Day Set For September 14

LUBBOCK--The 67th annual edition of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station Field Day for Lubbock and Halfway, which highlights a variety of crops research programs on the Texas High Plains, has been set for Tuesday, September 14.

The Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at Halfway, located 14 miles west of Plainview is host this year, according to Dr. Bill Ott, resident director of the TAES Lubbock Experiment Station, and Dr. Bill Lipe, field day chairman. In the past, field days at the Lubbock and Halfway Stations have been held two days apart, but this year will begin an alternate year arrangement, says Ott. The field day will be at Halfway this year and at Lubbock next.

Scheduled for this year's event

is a five-stop field tour of the Halfway Station research sites and facilities. Machinery displays presented by area implement dealers will be an added attraction.

Stops along the field tour include research plots for corn irrigation, corn and sorghum insects, soil fertility, weed

## Cotton Contracting Accelerates

High Plains farmers have stepped up contracting this year's cotton crop. Most sales contracts were signed during the first week in July, according to Paul R. Dickson, in charge of the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Cotton Contracting Office in Lubbock.

Contract prices ranged from 45.00 to 60.00 cents per pound in crop lots. Others ranged from 2600 to 3800 points over Commodity Credit loan rates. Some had varying specifications concerning Grade, Staple or Micronaire.

"Forward contracting allows the farmer to sell all or part of his crop before harvest at an agreed upon price. This aids the producer with production and marketing plans. It also assures the buyer of an adequate supply to fill his commitments to domestic and foreign mill customers," Dickson said. Forward contracting has become increasingly popular, especially the last three or four years. In past years High Plains farmers contracted less than other areas in the cotton belt. The USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service estimated about one-tenth of High Plains cotton acreage was under contract by July 8.

## Texas Horses Still Need Protection

In the Rio Grande Valley 83 percent of the crop has been contracted compared with 66 percent in California and Mississippi. Forty-two percent of entire U. S. crop is now under contract.

control, short-season and cotton varieties.

Professional staffs of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, USDA-ARS, NWS and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service will be on hand for all programs, say the TAES officials.

summer of 1971. That year, over 2,000 horses died from VEE in the Rio Grande Valley. This would not have happened if the horse population had been protected by vaccination. If VEE moves north again, those horses that are unprotected will be susceptible to this dread disease.

Dr. Sibley recommends that all foals in Texas be vaccinated, and that adult horses receive yearly boosters. All horses shipped into Texas are REQUIRED to be vaccinated, and many states require that horses shipped from Texas be vaccinated for VEE.

Show horses that are shipped to shows are required by most show management to be vaccinated for VEE, in addition to other tests and vaccinations.

"What it boils down to," says Dr. Sibley, "is that unvaccinated horses in Texas should be protected by vaccination. This is the only way we can protect our horse population from a future threat of Venezuelan Equine Encephalomyelitis." These are the recommendations of the Texas Animal Health Commission and the Texas Veterinary Medical Association.

## Agriculture Exports Climb

Agricultural exports continue to increase, and Texas is a big contributor to this foreign trade.

Texas ranks fourth in the nation in farm export sales and leads in exports of cotton, tallow and lard, hides and skin, says Charles Baker, a marketing economist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. It is also a major exporter of rice, grain sorghum, meat products, citrus and peanuts.

"As a whole, the U. S. agricultural export business, which employs about one million people directly and indirectly and generates more than \$50 billion in business activity, has increased significantly in the past three years," points out Baker.

"Farm export sales for the period from 1970 to 1972 averaged \$8.1 billion a year. From 1973 to 1975 sales averaged \$20.4 billion a year, and farm export sales for 1976 should

reach \$22 billion."

Baker notes that one of the main reasons for this jump is an increase in grain and wheat shipments to the Soviet Union.

"The volume of agricultural exports for 1976 should exceed 100 million metric tons which would be a 20 per cent increase over the 1975 farm export volume," says the Texas A&M University System specialist. "Exports of grain, wheat and soybeans make up about 90 per cent of this volume."

As far as agricultural imports are concerned, their value for 1976 is expected to be about \$10 billion, a slight increase over 1975 due mainly to higher values for coffee, cocoa, crude rubber and spices, Baker explains.

Thus the U. S. agricultural trade balance, the difference in the value of agricultural exports and agricultural imports, for 1976 is expected to be about \$12 billion, slightly below the 1975 balance.



THIS IS THE WAY... Horses were broke to ride in the olden days. Donald Templeton is the bronc buster. Assisting him is Earl Keillar and Lexie Branscum.

## Tips On Sewing Today's Fabric

Selecting needles and threads for homesewing is more than just picking up a package of needles and finding thread to match the fabric color, Marlene Odle, a clothing specialist, says.

"Kind and size of needle and thread necessary depend upon fiber, fabric construction and purpose for stitching.

"For example, in buying needles, choose ballpoint needles when sewing knits and sharp needles when sewing woven fabrics," she explained. Miss Odle is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

She recommends using 100 per cent polyester or cotton-covered polyester thread for polyester or polyester blend fabrics.

These threads have elasticity and do not shrink in washing. "Because of their irregularities, today's American-made polyester or cotton-covered polyester threads are not sized like 100 per cent cotton thread.

"Consequently, larger size (size 14 or 16) needles are necessary when sewing with this thread to prevent breaking, tangling and uneven tension. The eye of the needle must be large enough for the largest part of the thread to pass through," she said.

Some Swiss-made polyester threads are more uniform in

shape, and they are sized. A fine needle may be used when sewing with fine thread," she said.

"Thread for topstitching, commonly called buttonhole twist, is available in polyester or cotton. It is heavier and thicker than regular thread. Choose the kind which is most compatible to the fabric being used. A size 16 or 18 needle, used when sewing with buttonhole twist, allows the thread to move through the eye freely without fraying.

"Swiss-made cotton buttonhole twist may be preshrunk on the spool before used in stitching on polyester, polyester blends or cotton fabrics. Cotton thread has a higher luster than polyester," she said.

If your machine does not sew with heavy threads or buttonhole twist, use two strands of thread for topstitching.

at the tension disc if your machine has a top tension regulator. "Thread both threads through the needle. This provides a heavier looking topstitching than one strand and resembles buttonhole twist," she said.

Here's a delicious way to serve rice with low calorie chicken and shrimp for a hearty but not fattening meal.

**PAELLA CASSEROLE**

- 3 tablespoons olive oil or vegetable oil
- 1 clove garlic, crushed
- 3 chicken breasts, split and boned
- 1-1/2 cups chopped onions
- 1-1/2 cups tomato juice
- 1 package (10 ounces) frozen green peas
- 1 teaspoon oregano
- 1-1/2 teaspoons salt
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper
- 1 pound peeled and deveined raw shrimp
- 4 cups hot cooked rice

Heat oil with garlic in a heavy frying pan; add chicken and brown; push to one side; saute onions in pan until tender. Stir in tomato juice, peas, and seasonings; cook, covered, over low heat 15 to 20 minutes. Add shrimp and cook 10 minutes longer. Spoon rice around edges of 6 individual casseroles. Fill centers of casseroles with paella mixture. Or serve over beds of fluffy rice. Makes 6 servings. Each serving provides: 403 calories.



UNCLE SAM RIDES BICYCLE... Down the streets of Earth in the rodeo parade Thursday. In this case Uncle is second place winner in the bicycle division.

Wind some thread on a second bobbin and thread it and the spool thread together on top. Separate the two threads

at the tension disc if your machine has a top tension regulator. "Thread both threads through the needle. This provides a heavier looking topstitching than one strand and resembles buttonhole twist," she said.

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# SUNNYSIDE NEWS

By TEENY BOWDEN



Over 400 registered for the 76 July Jubilee on Running Water Draw Friday night and there was no way to register all who attended.

Those registering when the gate was opened were given a paper sack to put over their hand, and asked to get as many autographs on it as possible.

Mrs. Alton Loudder won a plaque for the most names which was 155. Games and visiting started at 6:00. The Dimmitt 4-H Club showed their horses and gave demonstrations on how they perform in the horse shows.

R. M. Nelson, George Sides, and Gale Sadler were M. C.'s for the program. A bicentennial skit by Karen Williamson and other Hart women opened the program followed by the Pledge of Allegiance and a patriotic speech by Jo Eddy Riley. Bluegrass music was provided by Herb Mayfield, Curtis Sinker, Jimmy Ray Davis, John Dalton, Jerry Jansa and Wes Nivens.

Square Dance Clubs from Dimmitt, Nazareth and Hart per-

formed several times. Nell Kelley led all who would to participate in several minutes of Hokey Pokey to limber up and warm up.

The 76ers Bicentennial Choir, under the direction of Jim Massey sang four songs and he also led the audience in two songs. Community facts from various communities were given at various times during the program.

Rachel Hunter gave the Jumbo facts. Percy Hart the facts about Hart. Carolyn Sides gave Frio facts. Raymond Jones, Sunnyside facts. Diana Hatla, Flagg, Carolyn Watts, Dimmitt, Carolyn Side, Bethel, Betty Hausmann, Dodd, and Jackie McLeroy, Mulkey facts.

Other representatives from other communities left before they were called upon. Other communities were not represented.

Rev. Raymond Jones led the closing prayer. Gale Sadler, president of the community club was general chairman of the Jubilee. Carolyn Watts Festival chairman of the Bicentennial Committee.

Edd McLeroy served as entertainment chairman. Ewell Kelley, activities chairman. Gertie Waggoner, refreshment chairman. Francis Duke, publicity chairman. Judith Graham had charge of the first aid station. The Sunnyside Lions had charge of the preparation of the grounds. Carl Bradley, clean up operations. Jones Spraying Service, mosquito control. Behrends Insurance Agency liability coverage. Castro County News and KDHN advertising. Boys Ranch and Calvin Lippard furnishing the location.

Ricky Byers and Carl Bradley had water wagons standing by in case of fire.

The grass was very green. The location beautiful and the weather perfect for those who brought blankets. A little cold for others.

The full moon helped and the horse drawn surrey across the draw before sunset trying to find a crossing was a reminder of what it must have been like "in the good old days." It didn't find a crossing and had to go back and come down the road to get to the camp sight.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wylie and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Elder were the occupants of the surrey which added a lot to the jubilee.

Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Jones and Wade, Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Haydon, Mrs. Alton Loudder, Susan Sadler, Roy Phelan, Tammy, Rhonda and Chanin Ross formed a work crew to pick

up onions donated by John and Noah Spencer. Mr. Phelan and Rev. Jones took the pickup load of onions to Buckner's in Lubbock Friday.

.20 inch of rain was recorded for Saturday night and .25 inch for Sunday evening. It was raining at mail time Monday.

Daniel Montiel, taking his basic training at Fort Sill, called home Tuesday to tell his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Montiel that he is liking Army life real well.

Jake King of Hereford, father of Mrs. David Sadler, was dismissed from the hospital Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Sadler and girls visited with them and an uncle from Lubbock Saturday night.

Natalie Lawson of Olton has spent the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Elkins and Chris. Her mother was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Tuesday with a virus infection.

The WMU Council met at the church Wednesday morning for the monthly meeting with Mrs. Tom Parson in charge.

The BYW met Tuesday afternoon at the church for the election of officers. Mrs. Martin Lefevre was elected president. Mrs. Lee Bradley Mission Study Chairman, and Mrs. Lonnie Wilson and Mrs. Carl Dean Carson will share Mission Action duties. They will meet at 9:00 on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays and are inviting all young women in the community to join them. The Mission Friends will meet at the same time and there will be a nursery. Mission Friends will meet every week.

Baptist Men met Tuesday morning at the church for their regular prayer breakfast.

Mrs. Embree Roy Sadler worked with auxiliary duties at Plains Memorial Hospital Monday afternoon.

Mrs. L. B. Bowden visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bridges, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Loudder and Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler visited with them last Sunday.

Daneen Wilson attended twirling camp at Brownwood Lake recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson and Daneen, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Wilson and Samantha and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Freeman attended the Snow reunion at Brownwood Lake Thursday through Sunday.

David Sadler was an usher and Mrs. Sadler served at the reception of Nina Gilliland and Richard Tibijas in Hereford Saturday night.

Mrs. Ima Blewett and Mrs. Donna Hampton visited last Friday in Slaton with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. DeBusk, a brother of Mrs. Blewett and to pick up Dina Jo who had come home from Oklahoma with a relative, Mrs. Kenneth Switzer. They also got to visit with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Parson and their grandchildren attended her family reunion in Azell last week-end.

Several from the community attended the Earth Rodeo and its activities Thursday through Saturday night. Belinda Bridget and Duke Henry rode in the parade. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ray Hampton helped with it Thursday and Saturday nights.

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Belinda and Bridget Hampton participated in the Lamb County Dress Revue in Littlefield Tuesday. Belinda won alternate in the Senior Division with her red, white and blue wrap-around dress. Bridget won a red ribbon in the Junior Division with a long dress of neutral color.

Mrs. Bruce Bridges and girls had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bridges in Dimmitt Thursday.

Wade Jones of Fort Worth visited with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Jones Wednesday night through Saturday.

They spent the day Thursday fishing at the lake at Silverton. He spent Saturday night and Sunday with friends at Cotton Center and came back Sunday night to help with camp.

Regular community meeting at 8:00 p.m. Monday night. Bring cookies and some of the new people in the community.

## Blanca DeLaCerde Enrolled In OST

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